AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

- 1. (Previously Presented) A method comprising:
 - profile, the email corresponding to a user profile, the user profile including one or more of a notification criteria, a user name, and a delivery vehicle listif the new email matches a predetermined criterion of when to send notice of a new email to a cellular phone associated with a user, wherein the predetermined criterion notification criteria includes one or more of a sender's sender name, a subject line, a size, and a time of arrival;
 - generating a notice of corresponding to the new email if a name associated with

 the email matches the sender name of the notification criteria, wherein a

 content of the notice is customized according to contents of the user

 profile and sent to a device associated with a user;
 - determining a delivery vehicle associated with a device from the delivery vehicle

 list, wherein the deliver vehicle includes one or more of Global System for

 Mobiles (GSM), Short Messaging Service (SMS), and Simple Mail

 Transfer Protocol (SMTP);
 - if the cellular phone the device uses Global System for Mobiles ("GSM") the

 GSM, sending the customized notice of corresponding to the new email to

 the device via Short Messaging Service ("SMS") the SMS; and
 - of corresponding to the new-email to the device via-Simple Mail Transfer

 Protocol ("SMTP") the SMTP.

2. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising:
receiving the user profile, the user profile <u>further</u> including one or more of a
registration request and a <u>eriterion of customization criteria</u> from the user;
and

storing the user profile at a user profile database.

Claims 3-5 (Cancelled)

- 6. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, wherein sending the of the customized notice includes sending the customized notice in is performed in a secure manner.
- 7. (Cancelled)
- 8. (Previously Presented) A system comprising:

a processor; and

a first server;

a second server coupled to the first server, the second server to screen emails and send the emails to the first server; and

a device coupled with the first server and the second server, the device to receive

a customized notice from the first server, the first server having

a storage medium to store a notification server agent and instructions to

perform functions of the notification server agent via a processor,

the processor coupled with the storage medium, the first server to

a memory, coupled to the processor, to store a notification agent, wherein the

notification agent maintains a plurality of user profiles, wherien each user

profile contains a plurality of criteria for customizing a notice, wherein the

plurality of criteria includes one or more of a sender's name, a subject

line, a size, and a time of arrival, wherein during execution, the notification agent to:

in response to receiving a new receive an email from the second server,

determine, according to the email corresponding to a user profile, the user

profile including one or more of a notification criteria, a user name, and a

delivery vehicle list if the new email matches a predetermined criterion of

when to send notice of a new email to a cellular phone associated with a

user, wehrein the notification criteria includes a sender name,

- generate a notice of the new corresponding to the email if a name associated with

 the email matches the sender name of the notification criteria, wherein a

 content of the notice is customized according to contents of the user

 profile and send to a device associated with a user,
- determinine a delivery vehicle associated with a device from the delivery vehicle

 list, wherein the deliver vehicle includes one or more of Global System for

 Mobiles (GSM), Short Messaging Service (SMS), and Simple Mail

 Transfer Protocol (SMTP),
- if the cellular phone device uses Global System for Mobiles ("GSM") the GSM, sending the first server to send the customized notice of corresponding to the new email to the device via Short Messaging Service ("SMS") the SMS, and
- if the <u>cellular phone device</u> does not use the GSM, <u>the first server to</u> sending the customized notice <u>of corresponding to</u> the <u>new-email to the device via</u>

 <u>Simple Mail Transfer Protocol ("SMTP") the SMTP.</u>

9-11 (Cancelled)

12. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 8, wherein the customized notice is securely delivered.

Claims 13-14 (Cancelled)

- 15. (Previously Presented) An article of manufacture comprising a machineaccessible medium having instructions which when executed cause a machine to:
 in response to receiving a new-an email, the email corresponding to a user profile,
 the user profile including one or more of a notification criteria, the user
 name, and a delivery vehicle listdetermine, according to a user profile, if
 the new email matches a predetermined criterion of when to send notice of
 a new email to a cellular phone associated with a user, wherein the
 predetermined criterion notification criteria includes one or more of a
 sender's sender name, a subject line, a size, and a time of arrival;
 - generate a notice of the new corresponding to the email if a name associated with

 the email matches the sender name of the notification criteria, wherein a

 content of the notice is customized according to contents of the user

 profile and sent to a device associated with a user;
 - determinine a delivery vehicle associated with a device from the delivery vehicle

 list, wherein the deliver vehicle includes one or more of Global System for

 Mobiles (GSM), Short Messaging Service (SMS), and Simple Mail

 Transfer Protocol (SMTP);
 - if the cellular phone device uses Global System for Mobiles ("GSM") the GSM, send the customized notice of the new corresponding to the email to the device via Short Messaging Service ("SMS") the SMS; and

- if the cellular phonedevice does not use the GSM, send the customized notice corresponding to of the new the email to the device via Simple Mail

 Transfer Protocol ("SMTP") the SMTP.
- 16. (Previously Presented) The article of manufacture of claim 15, wherein the instructions which when executed further cause the machine to:
 receive a user profile, the user profile including further includes one or more of a registration request and eriterion of a customization criteria from the user;
 and

store the user profile at a user profile database.

Claims 17-26 (Cancelled)

- 27. (Previously Presented) The machine readable medium article of manufacture of claim 15, wherein the instructions when further executed causing cause the machine to send the customized notice comprise instructions to cause the machine to send the customized notice in a secure manner.
- 28. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising identifying a delivery mechanism for sending to send the customized notice, wherein the delivery mechanism includes sending the customized notice via the SMS if the cellular phone uses the GSM.
- 29. (Previously Presented)
- 30. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 8, wherein the first server comprises

 further comprising a delivery mechanism for sending to send the customized

 notice via the SMS, wherein the delivery mechanism includes sending the

 customized notice via the SMS if the cellular phone uses the GSM.

31. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 30, wherein the delivery mechanism further comprises sending to send the customized notice via the SMTP-if the cellular phone does not use the GSM.

Claims 32-33 (Cancelled)

- 34. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein the notification criteria further comprises one or more of a subject line, a number of bytes, a time of arrival, a size of message, and a numerical number.
- 35. (New) The system of claim 8, wherein the notification criteria further comprises one or more of a subject line, a number of bytes, a time of arrival, a size of message, and a numerical number.